

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 -  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 3687**

Attorney's Docket No. 43314/236950

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In re: Buehl et al.   | Confirmation No.: 5375     |
| Appl. No.: 10/054,719   | Group No.: 3687            |
| Filed: January 18, 2002   | Examiner: Iwarere, Oluseye |
| For: CABLE BILLING SYSTEMS AND METHODS ENABLING<br>INDEPENDENCE OF SERVICE MARKETING AND PROVISIONING<br>FROM BILLING AND COLLECTION OF REVENUE |                            |

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of 1 month to respond to the Office Action dated July 9, 2008.

2. Applicant is ☐ a small entity; ☒ other than a small entity.

3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

| Total Months<br><u>Requested</u>              | Fee For Other<br><u>Than Small Entity</u> | Fee for<br><u>Small Entity</u> |
|---|---|--------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month | \$130.00                                  | \$65.00                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> two months           | \$490.00                                  | \$245.00                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three months         | \$1,110.00                                | \$555.00                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> four months          | \$1,730.00                                | \$865.00                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> five months*         | \$2,350.00                                | \$1,175.00                     |

\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

☐ A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.

☒ All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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